

**Literature Search**  
**ACR Appropriateness Criteria®**  
**Fibroids**

Literature Search Performed on: 10/13/2020

Beginning Date: January 2010

End Date: September 2020

Database: Ovid MEDLINE(R) ALL <1946 to October 12, 2020>

**Search Strategy**

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- 1 uterine fibroid/ (19305)
- 2 leiomyoma/ or leiomyosarcoma/ or uterine leiomyoma.mp. (27844)
- 3 uterine fibroid.tw. (1204)
- 4 exp diagnostic imaging/ (2655662)
- 5 exp ultrasonography/ (440141)
- 6 exp magnetic resonance imaging/ (457478)
- 7 1 or 2 or 3 (28291)
- 8 (4 or 5 or 6) and 7 (6570)
- 9 limit 8 to (abstracts and english language and humans and yr="2010 -Current") (1346)
- 10 limit 9 to "all child (0 to 18 years)" (72)
- 11 9 not 10 (1274)
- 12 limit 11 to case reports (592)
- 13 11 not 12 (682)

**Summary**

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<b>Source</b>	<b>#Unique Refs</b>	<b>#Retained Refs</b>
Old bibliography	0	0
Literature Search(es)	682	55
Author Added	50	44
Supporting Docs	2	2
Total		101

References from the literature search that were not retained had a poor study design, were not relevant to the topic, or had unclear or biased results.

26 of the author added references were outside the search date range.